MEDICAL STAMPS

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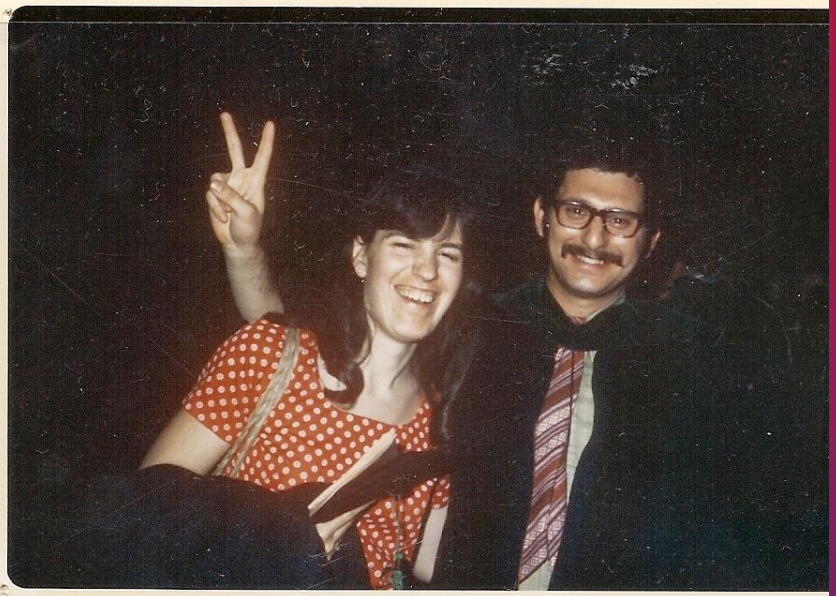
Me and my family in Egypt in 1951, where my stamp collecting began.



My medical career begins; graduation from the University of Michigan Medical School, June, 1971

War and Refugees

Missionaries

Great Doctors

Nurses

Doctors at Work

Children

Diseases

Hospitals

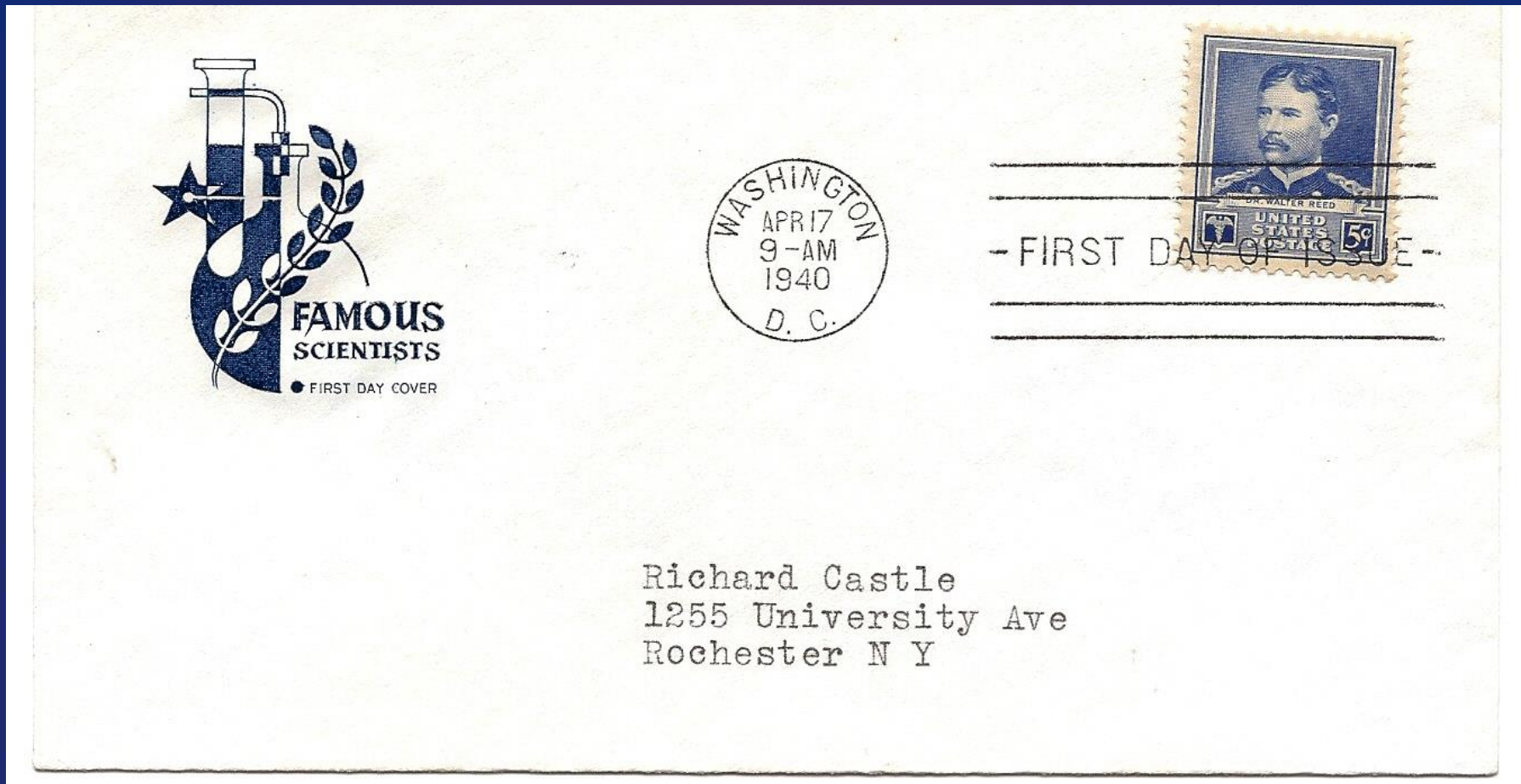
Symbolism and Mythology

Red Cross
Red Crescent

Weird

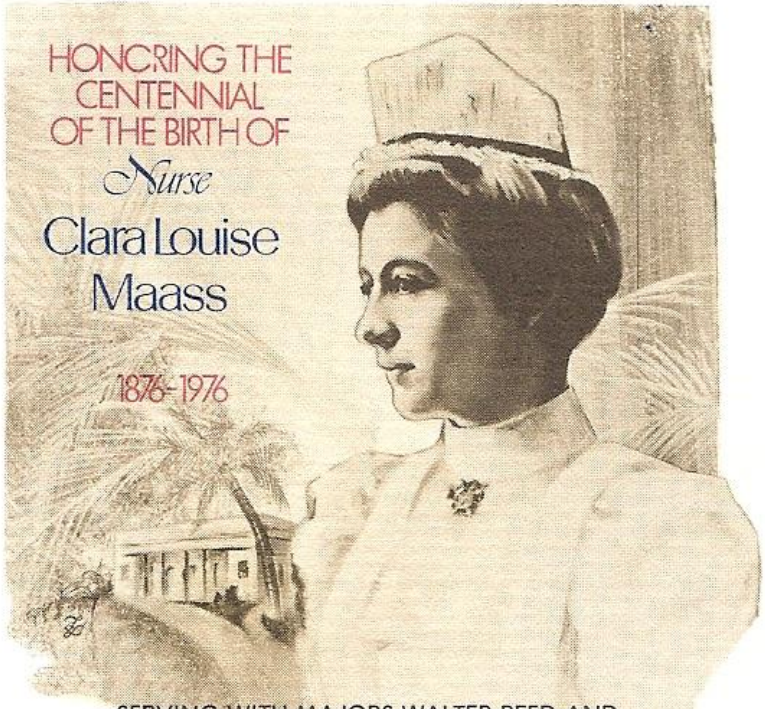
The Mayo brothers advanced surgery and group practice
Crawford Long developed anesthesia

George Papanicolaou developed the Pap Smear, a test to detect pre-cancer of the cervix. He worked with Herbert Traut, a gynecologist. A Romanian, Babes by name, actually published similar results a couple of months before Papanicolaou, but his work was ignored. We should call it: the Babes, Papanic-olaou, Traut Smear.



Walter Reed

He solved the yellow fever mystery and made the construction of the Panama Canal possible



SERVING WITH MAJORS WALTER REED AND WILLIAM GORGAS SHE WAS THE ONLY WOMAN TO VOLUNTEER AND THE ONLY AMERICAN TO DIE FROM THE EXPERIMENTS THAT PROVED YELLOW FEVER WAS CARRIED BY MOSQUITOES.

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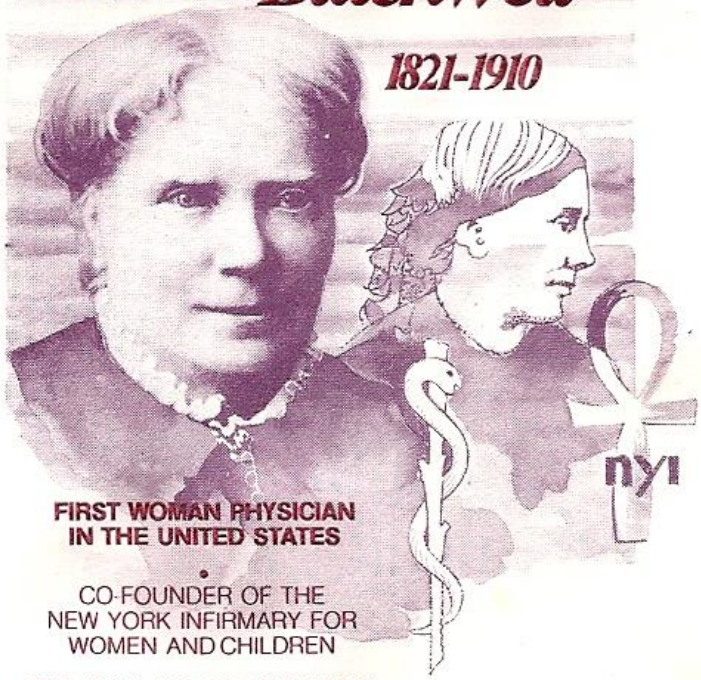
The medical school in Vienna led the world in medical advances during the middle of the 19th century

HONORING

Elizabeth Blackwell

1821-1910



FIRST WOMAN PHYSICIAN
IN THE UNITED STATES

CO-FOUNDER OF THE
NEW YORK INFIRMARY FOR
WOMEN AND CHILDREN

AND ALSO HELPED ESTABLISH
THE LONDON SCHOOL OF MEDICINE
FOR WOMEN

Fleetwood

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McDowell, Kielland, and Semmelweis

Great Stories in Ob Gyn

Famous doctors of other cultures

American Nursing Stamps

Various foreign nursing stamps

More foreign Nurses

Doctors at work

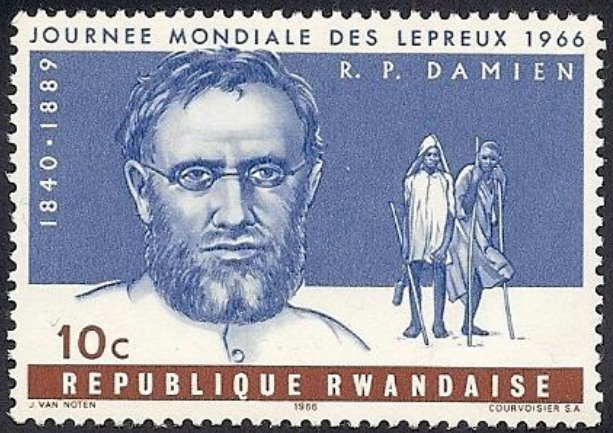
The doctor at the bedside; Worldwide paradigm

Italy; "Death of Golfredo Mameli" 1948. #506

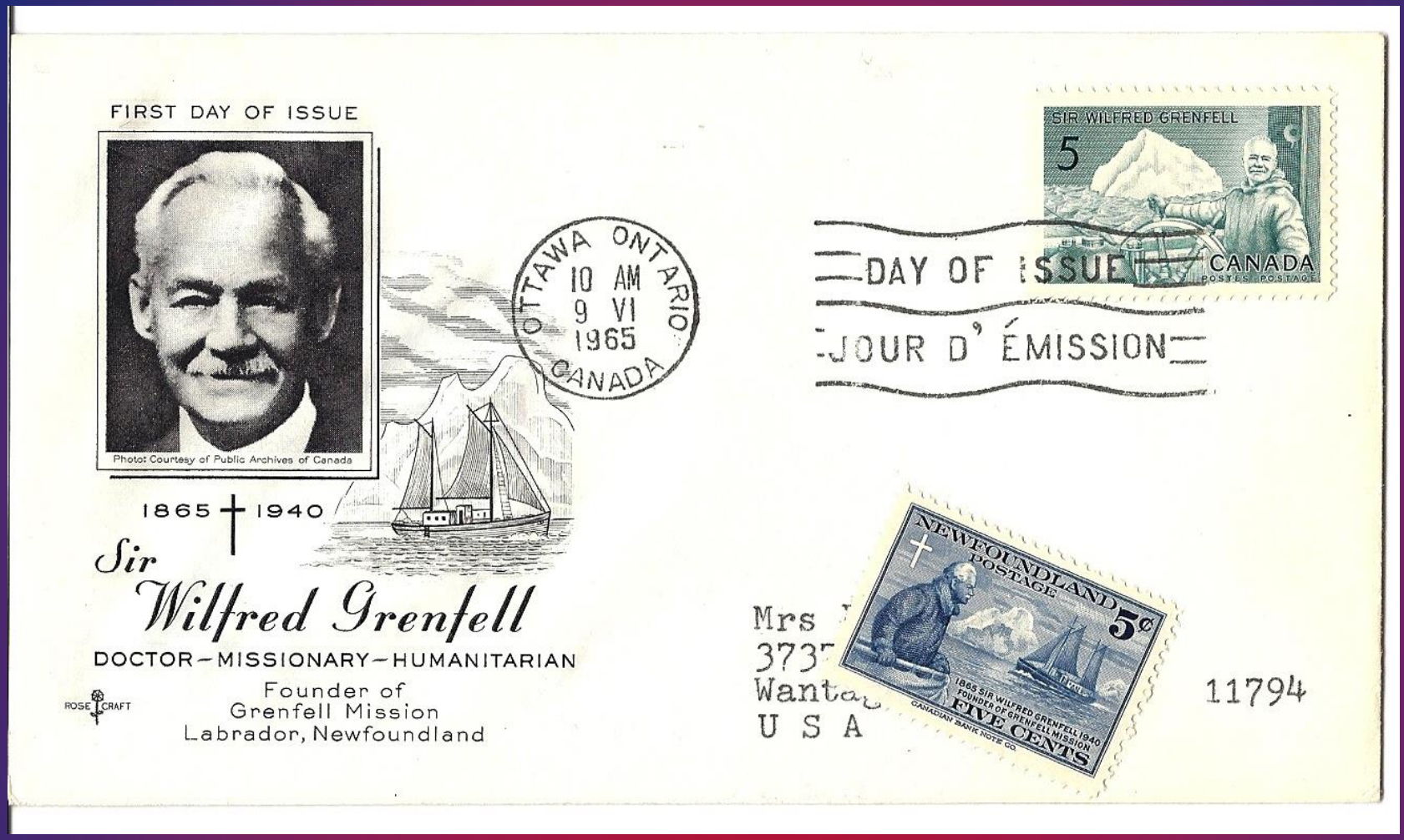
$27.50 in used (Scott, 2011)

“The Doctor” by Sir Luke Fildes
1947, #949

Images of the Missionary



Albert Schweitzer, the ultimate missionary



Sir Wilfred Grenfell was the Missionary Extraordinaire of Newfoundland and Labrador. He is honored by stamps of Canada and Newfoundland.

Most countries across the globe have accepted The Red Cross

Clara Barton founded The American Red Cross in 1881. The first local Society of the Red Cross was founded in Dans-ville, New York, near Rochester.

American Red Cross stamps

The Red Crescent originated in- in 1877 and has been accepted by 33 Islamic Islamic countries

Religious tolerance on stamps

In war, most countries idealize the victims, the soldiers, and the caregivers

Nazi Sentimentality

Foreign Weird

Weird

Foreign

French Weird

American Weird
33065
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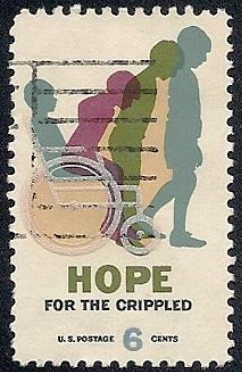
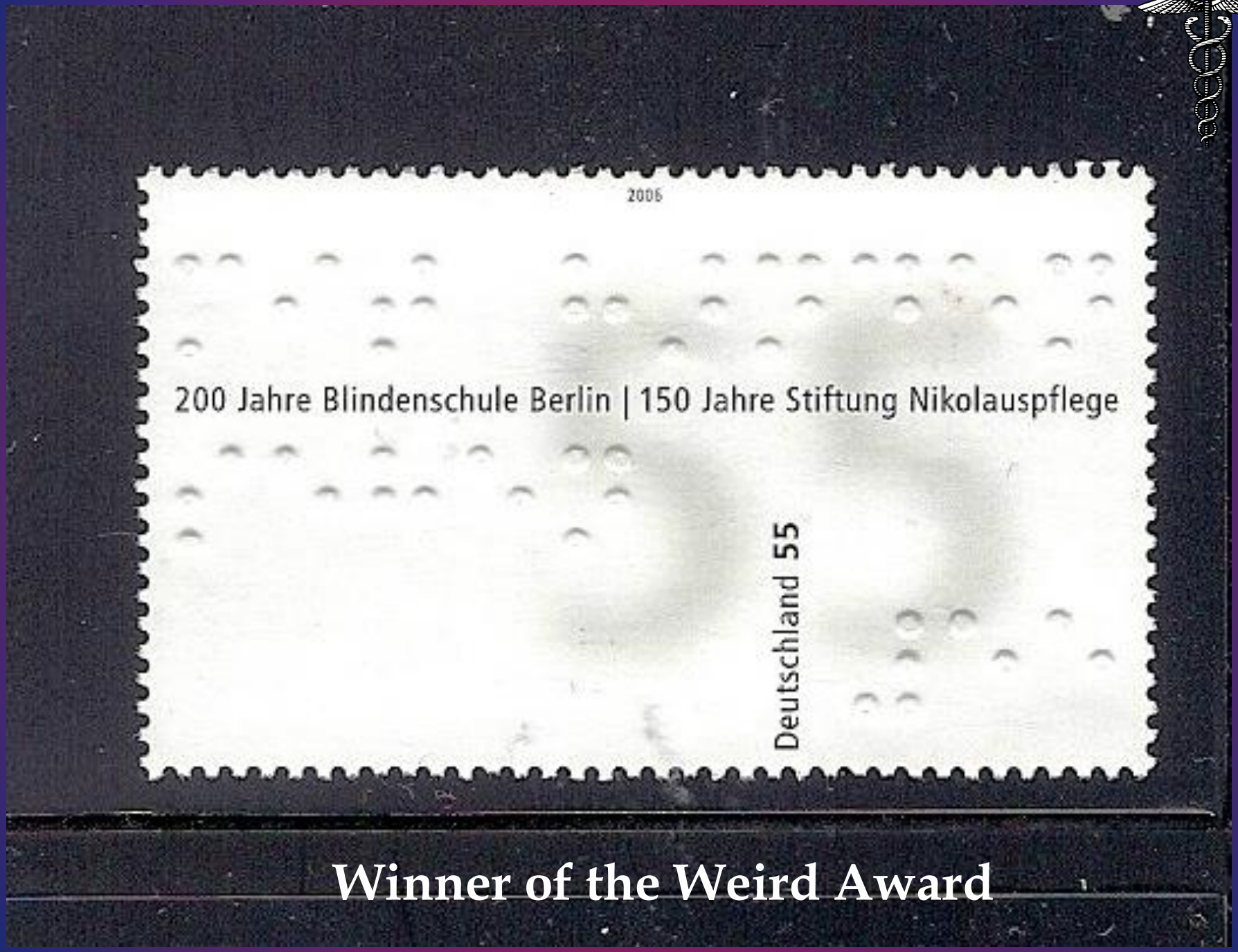
33395
Family Planning
UNITED STATES 8c
Prevent drug abuse
United States Postage 8c
35529
U.S. 10c
Retarded Children Can Be Helped

American Weird





Winner of the Weird Award

Mythology and Symbolism on Stamps

The Eye of

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EGYPTE
الدولة المصرية
15 MILLS
POSTES
XV CONCILIUM OPHTHALMOLOGICUM 1937
EGYPTE
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20 MILLS
POSTES
XV CONCILIUM OPHTHALMOLOGICUM 1937

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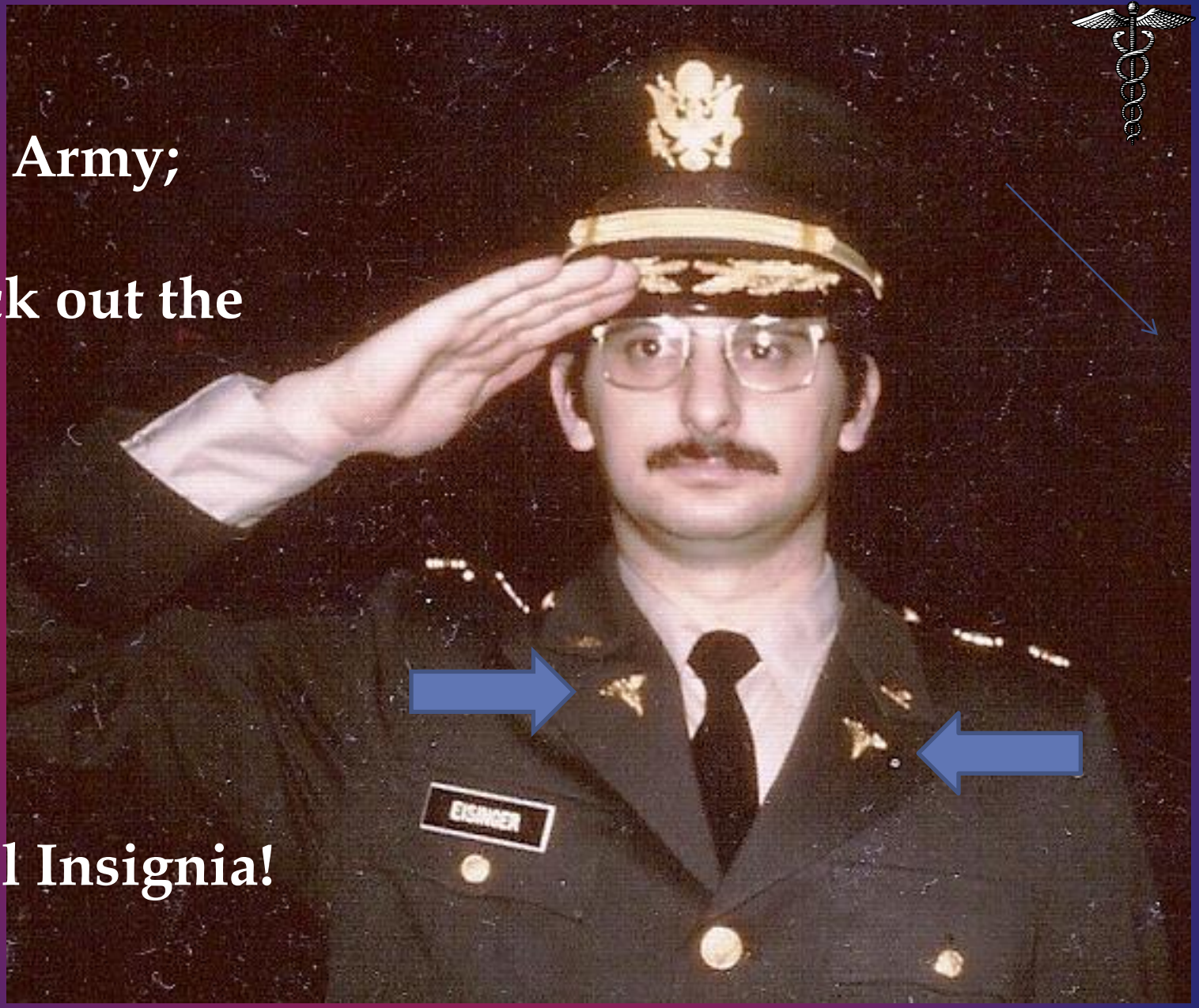
The Asclepius on Stamps

The Cadeuceus on Stamps

The Cadeuceus In American Stamps

U. S. Army;

Check out the



Lapel Insignia!

Tuberculosis and the Lorraine Cross

Christmas Seals

Hospitals Around the world

Interesting hospitals worldwide

Children

USA 15c
International Year of the Child

PROTECT
de l'ENFANCE
INDIGÈNE
2F
+
6F
ININI
GUYANE
POSTE AÉRIENNE FRANÇAISE

10B
YEMEN
MATERNAL AND CHILD CENTRE

9K
LE MONDE UNI CONTRE
LE PALUDISME
ROYAUME DU LAOS

GROWTH MONITORING
ZAMBIA
K2

TANZANIA
BREAST FEEDING
(MTOTO ANYONYE
ZIWA)
CHILD
SURVIVAL
AND
DEVELOPMENT
1986
40/-

ВРАЧИ МИРА ЗА ПРЕДОТВРАЩЕНИЕ ЯДЕРНОЙ ВОЙНЫ
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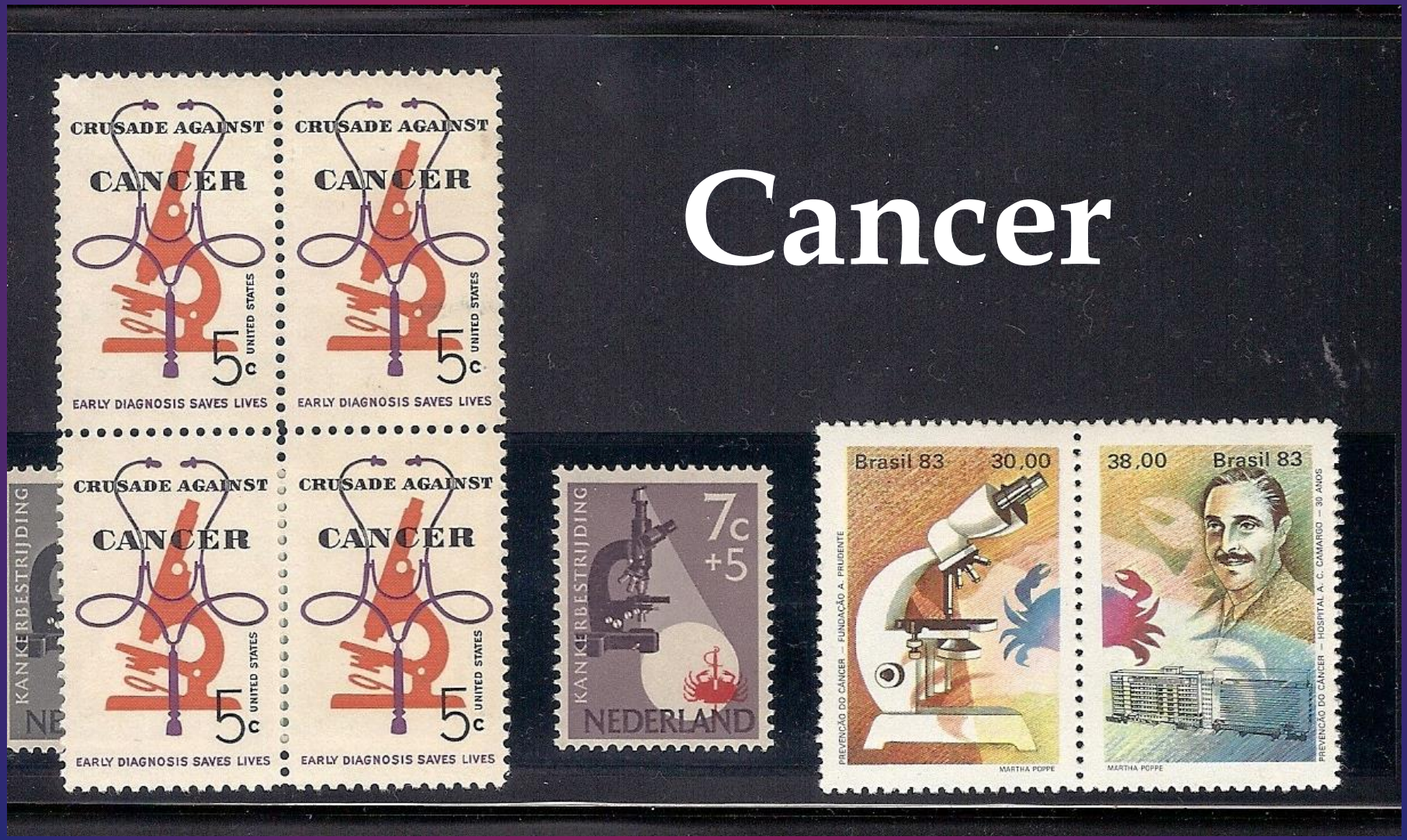
Malaria is the greatest disease killer world-wide

Cancer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MARTHA POPPE
PREVENÇÃO DO CÂNCER — HOSPITAL A. C. CAMARGO — 30 ANOS

On stamps: leprosy, sleeping sickness, rabies, AIDS, heart disease, variola, syphilis, measles, tetanus, and rinderpest.

What is Rinderpest? It is an infectious disease of cattle and other ungulates which wiped out herds in many countries. It has now been

eradicated world-wide, only the second disease in history to be fully wiped out.

Medical Stamps Countries in my Collection (103)

Algeria (Fr)
Angola
Australia
Austria
Belgian Congo
Belgium
Brazil
Brunei
Burundi
Cameroon
Canada
Newfoundland
Chad
China
China, P.R.
Colombia
Congo
Costa Rica
Croatia
Cuba
Cyprus
Czechoslovakia
Czech Bohemia and Moravia
Dahomey
Danzig
Democratic Republic of Congo
Dominican Republic
Egypt
Ethiopia
Fiji
Finland
France
French Equatorial Africa
French West Africa
Fujiera
Germany
GDR
Germany Third Reich
Ghana
Greece
Greenland
Guatemala
Haiti
Honduras
Hungary
Iceland
India
Inini
Israel
Italy
Jamaica
Japan
Jordan
Korea
Laos
Liberia
Mali
Martinique
Mexico
Monaco
Morocco
Netherlands
Netherlands Antilles
Netherlands Indies
New Zealand
Nigeria
Norway
Pakistan
Panama
Peru
Philippines
Poland
Portugal
Romania
Russia
Rwanda
Ryukyu
Senegal
Slovenia
South Africa
Spain
Spanish Morocco
Sri Lanka
Sweden
Switzerland
Syria
Tanzania
Togo
Transkei
Trinidad and Tobago
Tunisia
Turkey
UAR
Uganda
United Nations
Uruguay
USA
Venezuela
Viet Nam
Yemen
Yugoslavia
Zambia
Zimbabwe